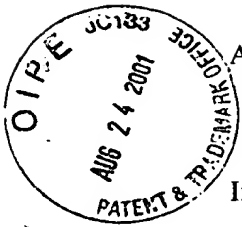


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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated July 27, 2001 (a copy thereof is attached hereto), Applicants submit the Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney signed and dated by Applicants for the above-captioned application.

Please charge the required fee, estimated to be \$130.00, to Novo Nordisk of North America, Inc., Deposit Account No. 14-1447. Please credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 14-1447. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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